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HONDO, MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1937.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

## MISS WINDROW FETED.

The tea and shower at the home of Mrs. R. J. Reily Wednesday afternoon, honoring Miss Doris Windrow, a bride of the month, was an outstanding affair of the season and beautifully appointed. Yellow and blue formed the color scheme in a pleasing manner. Yellow chrysanthemums in vases decorated the rooms and deep blue candles lighted the scene.

Miss Windrow was gowned in a turquoise blue chiffon velvet model, the exquisite costume worn when she represented Hondo as queen of the Winter Garden Fair this fall. Her corsage was of pink Talisman rosebuds. Assisting in receiving were Mrs. Reily, in a piquant frock of brown net with a corsage of gold flowers, and Mrs. George R. Carle, the honoree's sister. Mrs. Carle wore a handsome gown of black crepe with white embroidered lace bolero, with a corsage of white chrysanthemums.

Little Misses Julia Mazelle Crow and Ann Reily, who served Miss Windrow as train bearers in the coronation ceremonies, and Master Robert Carle, crown bearer, also assisted at the reception. The little girls, dressed in quaint empire frocks of velvet harmonizing in color with that of Miss Windrow's, the high waistline bound with pink satin ribbon, were in charge of the bride's book. Master Robert, in black tails, opened the door for the guests.

In the dining room the tea table, laid with lace, was ornamented with yellow chrysanthemums in a center crystal bowl and the color was accentuated by the turquoise blue tapers, in crystal holders, which lighted the table. A large house party assisted in doing honors, the hostesses being Mrs. Richard Reily, Mrs. Parnitz Carle, Mrs. Horace Crow, Mrs. W. L. Windrow, Mrs. Arnold Newsom, Mrs. Jack Fusselman, Jr., Mrs. H. Z. Windrow and Miss Bernice Speece.

Cocoanut cake and coffee were served, the hostesses alternating in presiding over the refreshment board.

A musical background was provided during the receiving hours by Miss Betty Jean Merriman, soprano, Miss Frances Ruth Fly, pianist, and Mrs. Arnold Newsom, Miss Genevieve Brucks, Miss Bernice Speece and Miss Bernice Chancey, vocal quartette. About seventy-five guests called during the hours from four to seven.

Miss Windrow's engagement to Mr. Murry Stephenson of Cotulla will culminate in a quiet wedding on Christmas Day. Adding interest to the event are the numerous courtesies being planned in Miss Windrow's honor. On Friday night the faculty of Cotulla High School, of which Mr. Stephenson is a member, is tendering the couple a china shower. Miss Annette Rothe will be hostess of a luncheon at the Tick-Tock Tea Room in San Antonio Saturday, naming Miss Windrow as honoree, and on Monday Mrs. H. J. Meyer, Mrs. J. H. Meyer and Miss Mary Elizabeth Meyer are complimenting the bride-elect with a kitchen shower at the home of the former. On December 23rd, Miss Evelyn Knopp will honor Miss Windrow with a luncheon in her home, the personnel include the younger college set.

## ROBINSON AND DAVIS FILM COMING.

With three famous stars heading its cast—Pete Davis, Edward G. Robinson and Humphrey Bogart—a drama of the prize-ring called "Kid Galahad" will show Wednesday and Thursday at the Colonial Theatre. Made from the best-selling novel by Francis Wallace, ace sports fictionist, this Warner Bros. thriller deals not only with those elements of the boxing ring with which everyone is familiar, but with the behind-scenes maneuvering of fighters and managers.

Besides the three well-established stars previously mentioned, there's a new star, revealed in the person of Wayne Morris, a 23-year-old newcomer who plays "Kid Galahad"—big handsome blond boy who gets the name because he has reverent ideas about womanhood. And a young leading lady in the person of Jane Bryan, with whom he falls in love.

## STILL HOLDING PARKER.

Eagle Pass, Dec. 13.—John Parker, wanted for a fatal stabbing, still is honor guest in the Piedras Negras jail where he awaits orders from Mexico City for his deportation to the United States. This statement was given out today by Mexican immigration authorities in denial of a rumor the negro had been released.

## TO BE BURIED IN CASTROVILLE.

Mrs. Theodore Haby, daughter of Mr. Emil Schott of Rio Medina, died in San Antonio Thursday, December 16, after an extended illness. Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, December 18, in St. Louis Catholic Church in Castroville.

## Awaits Santa's Visit



Jo Ann Koch, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Koch of Hondo, Texas, and granddaughter of Mrs. George Leinweber of Hondo and Ed S. Koch of D'Hanis. Jo Ann is wide-awake waiting for Santa's second visit to her. (Cut used by courtesy of San Antonio Express.)

## J. H. ROTHE WINS NUMERAL.

Twenty-three members of the 1937 Texas Aggie football team and four members of the Cadet cross country have been awarded varsity letters by the college athletic council. Numerals also have been awarded to twenty-eight members of the freshman football team, subject to usual academic requirements. Among the 28 freshman players who earned their numerals is J. H. Rothe of Hondo, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Rothe. J. H. is sustaining the reputation he earned in High School as a football back, and has a promising future ahead of him at A. and M.

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by MAX BURNS

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By giving the law-making power

to Congress alone (Article I) and by making Congress independent of the President and the Courts, our



Constitution protects us against the autocratic concentration of power in one man or one group of men.

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## DORCAS CLASS HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY.

The members of the Dorcas Class of the local Baptist church entertained with their annual Christmas party Wednesday night, December 15, at the lovely country home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. McWilliams. At 7:30 o'clock a turkey supper, consisting of roast turkey, dressing and giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, green and red vegetable salad, candied sweet potatoes, mincemeat pie with whipped cream, and coffee, was served at small tables for groups of four. Covers were laid for thirty-six guests.

The tables had for center adornment a red candle burning in a blue star with mirror points. The holiday season was featured in the decorations of red and green festoons, red candles on the mantle of the fireplace where an open fire was burning, and a gaily decorated Christmas tree. During the dinner hour the scene was softly lighted with burning red tapers and the sparkling Christmas tree.

Following the repast, a miniature Santa Claus, in the person of Master Newell Earl Woolls, small son of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Woolls, distributed gifts to the guests. Mrs. R. W. Gaines sang an appropriate selection, "Hark, Herald Angels Sing", and also lead the sing-song of Christmas Carols and old favorites. Mrs. W. C. Scott was piano accompanist. Several games of Forty-Two completed the entertainment for the festive occasion.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. F. L. McWilliams, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. H. Z. Windrow, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kollman, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Toby Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fusselman, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Woolls, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Crow, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Howell of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Beal, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gaines, Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. V. Horace Crow, Mrs. Elsie Warden, Mr. Ed. Eisenmenger, Mrs. Una English, Mrs. E. G. Pope, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Janszen.

## WEDDING ANNOUNCED.

An announcement which came as a pleasant surprise to members of the family, relatives and friends was that of the marriage of Miss Frances Ethel Sauter, youngest daughter of Mrs. Toby Sauter of Hondo, and Mr. Don Windrow, second youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Windrow of Hondo.

The ceremony was performed at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening, November 24, 1937, in the rectory of St. Mary's Church in San Antonio, Rev. Father Walter Arnold officiating. The couple's only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Francis Carle of Hondo. The bride wore a black alpaca ensemble with black accessories. A brief honeymoon trip was made to Del Rio and Mexico over the Thanksgiving holidays, after which the bridegroom returned to A. and M. College to resume his studies and Mrs. Windrow returned to her work in San Antonio.

The bride since her graduation from Hondo High School in 1934, has been in the employ of the Federal Government here. Last September she was transferred to San Antonio. The groom was a well known football star of Hondo High School from which he graduated in 1932. After ranching in New Mexico for several years he returned to resume his schooling at Texas A. and M. College where he is studying animal husbandry.

Mr. and Mrs. Windrow are members of highly esteemed Hondo families and have many friends who extend them best wishes for their married life.

## NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at the following named places on dates given below, for the purpose of collecting 1937 taxes, and assessing for the year 1938:

- RIO MEDINA, Jan. 3, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
- MEDINA LAKE, Jan. 4, 9 A. M. to 11 A. M.
- CLIFF, Jan. 4, 1 P. M. to 3 P. M.
- CASTROVILLE, Jan. 5 & 6, 8 A. M. to 4 P. M.
- CASTROVILLE, Jan. 7, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
- BIRY, Jan. 10, 9 A. M. to 11 A. M.
- COAL MINE, Jan. 10, 1 P. M. to 3 P. M.
- NATALIA, Jan. 11, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
- DEVINE, Jan. 12 & 13, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
- DEVINE, Jan. 14, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
- LACOSTE, Jan. 17, 8 A. M. to 4 P. M.
- LACOSTE, Jan. 18, 8 A. M. to 12 M.
- DUNLAY, Jan. 18, 2 P. M. to 4 P. M.
- D'HANIS, Jan. 19, 8 A. M. to 4 P. M.
- D'HANIS, Jan. 20, 8 A. M. to 12 M.

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By Clayton Rand.

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## AVOID FIRE HAZARDS.

Marvin Hall, Texas fire insurance commissioner calls attention to the number of unusual fire hazards which should be guarded against during the festivities of the approaching holiday season.

"A destructive fire is the sworn enemy of the peace and happiness that Christmas should properly bring," Hall explained. "It is important, therefore, to be familiar with the hazards common to the month of December which have in past years caused wasteful loss of life and property."

Some of the "Don'ts" as listed by Commissioner Hall are as follows:

1. Don't decorate evergreen trees with highly inflammable materials.

2. Don't place cotton or lighted candles on the Christmas tree.

3. Don't carelessly smoke or get near an open flame when wearing a cotton Santa Clause beard.

4. Don't place a lighted candle in the window near curtains or other inflammable material.

5. Don't allow small children to handle fireworks.

6. Don't use pennies or wire to replace blown-out electric fuses.

7. Don't use kerosene or gasoline to start or quicken a fire.

8. Don't permit children and other members of the family to get too close to stoves and open fireplaces.

"Among the many things the people of Texas have to be thankful for this Christmas," Hall said, "is the exceptionally low fire loss of the last eleven months. The first six months of 1937 showed a lower fire loss than any six-month period during the last twenty years. It is doubly important during this last month of the year, then, to think of the fire dangers to life and property which continually threaten to blight rejoicing because of a careless act or the use of an unsafe article."

"If we Texans will but observe diligently all safety rules, particularly those pertaining to fires," Hall concluded, "this Christmas will be one of joy and happiness for all."

## SIMPLE FACTS.

"Taxes, when thought out in things and results, mean an abstraction of a part of the annual product for government purposes, and cannot mean anything else. Whatever form they take in their imposition they must be borne by the consumer, that is, mainly by the working-men and fighting-men of the community. It is well that they should have this fact brought home to them, and not too much disguised by the form in which the taxes are imposed."

Thus wrote the late and great liberal Supreme Court Justice, Oliver Wendell Holmes. In these days when there is so much concern about rising prices and talk about monopolies and profits and whatnot, it is well to remember the economic fact which he so simply stated.

For about seven years now, the federal government has been borrowing money. The only way it can raise money to pay back what is borrowed is through taxes. And as Justice Holmes said, it makes no difference whether your tax is levied in disguised form, it still must be paid by the consumer.

If the tax is levied directly, it becomes a direct payment to the government. (Continued on last page.)

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## "NOBODY'S BUSINESS."

By Julian Capers, Jr.

(The opinions here expressed are Mr. Capers' own and do not necessarily represent those of this paper.—M. E.)

AUSTIN—Most of the members of the Texas congressional delegation have notified Texas Highway Officials that they will oppose any effort to slash Federal highway appropriations for 1939, and, at the week-end it appeared likely that the battle promised by President Roosevelt's recommendation for a heavy reduction of U. S. Highway money, which the States match, might be delayed until the regular session of Congress in January. Senator Tom Connally advised that he was definitely opposed to the slash. Senator Morris Sheppard declared, after consideration, he believed the highway allocation should be the last Federal economy to be made. Virtually all the Representatives, except Majority Leader Sam Rayburn, of Bonham, gave similar assurances. Rayburn, being the President's spokesman in the House, is in an embarrassing position, with sentiment in his home State almost unanimously opposing the cut. He apparently feels he must take out of loyalty to the administration. Texas would lose around twelve millions of highway money, if the plan goes through, and, according to Highway Commission Chairman R. E. L. Bobbitt, the state's road program would be set back five years thereby.

## Governor's Race.

More jockeying for position in the Governor's race marked the week's developments. Jim Ferguson revived the Ferguson Forum, and the first issue carried nothing new or startling, except an endorsement of the long-dead Townsend plan of \$200. a month pensions for all old folks. Jim laid down a six-point platform for the next Governor's race, including a two percent sales tax, \$30 a month pensions for all over 65, and drastic economy in government. He did not commit himself on whether he would have a candidate, or if so, who it would be. Political observers here saw no reason to change their previous prediction that Ma would not run.

Meanwhile, Austin was highly excited over a highly circumstantial rumor concerning the acquisition of some stock on the Forum by Gov. Allred. The report, allegedly based upon a statement to a political friend of Attorney General Bill McCraw, was to the effect McCraw had shown this friend an affidavit, made by a former Ferguson employee, stating that the latter had recently sold ten shares of stock in The Forum to Allred for \$500. McCraw, asked by this reporter for confirmation, declined to comment, saying "there will be a lot of surprises sprung in this campaign and it's going to be a long, hot, summer." Governor Allred, asked for comment, said: "That's very funny. I haven't bought any stock in The Forum, and I don't know anybody who has. You can always get affidavits in a campaign, but they don't mean anything."

## Neither To Run.

Allred is having a great deal of fun and publicity mystifying the State about his intentions. But the best-informed opinion here, pointing to the fact that Myron Blalock, chairman of Allred's state Democratic executive committee, is openly reported as the manager of Col. E. O. Thompson's gubernatorial campaign, still predict confidently that Allred will not run. They say it is absurd to think that Blalock and other strong Allred supporters who are boosting Thompson, would commit themselves unless they knew what Allred's intentions are. They predict that the governor's race will be between McCraw and Thompson, when the gong rings, and these two red-heads, both excellent campaigners, are expected to put on a real political show.

## About Platforms.

Platforms probably will be forthcoming from both candidates soon after January 1. Little is known about McCraw's ideas on public questions, as most of the Attorney

General's numerous public speeches have been of the humorous variety. Thompson, on the other hand, known as a deep student of government, is on record many times. He is an ardent believer in State's rights, and he fought off Federal control of the oil industry. He has recently declared for a cessation of new taxation, and expressed confidence that industry in Texas will solve the state's financial problems through existing tax levies, if not strangled to death with new burdensome tax imposts. He is known to favor strict limitation of old age assistance to those actually in need, so that more liberal allotments can be paid out of present revenues to those really needy. McCraw advocated civil service for state employees once, before a legislative committee; while Thompson's friends say the Amarilloan doesn't particularly favor this, believing that public official ought to have the right to oust his employee if they do not deliver the goods on the job. At least, that has been Thompson's policy as a Railroad Commissioner.

## Session Prospects.

Prospects of another special session became somewhat more remote, as Gov. Allred stood pat on his determination not to call the legislators. Meanwhile, banking circles reported

that negotiations looking toward an extension of the monthly partial payment plan for retiring the \$1,600,000 of old age pension warrants held by a Dallas banking syndicate, have been under way with the Board of Control, and are progressing satisfactorily. Under this plan, expected to be agreed upon formally shortly after January 1, sizeable monthly payments will be made, leaving sufficient revenue in the pension fund to continue pension payments on about the present basis, thus keeping everybody happy. Social security benefits for dependent children, the blind and the school teachers could be deferred until the 1939 regular session, many "economy bloc" members believe, without serious hardship upon either of these groups.

## Notes.

Formal announcement was made by John Woods, state highway commissioner from East Texas, that he will run for Railroad Commissioner, against Chairman C. V. Terrell..... Assumption of his duties as a member of the Board of Control Jan. 2 by Former Senator Tom DeBerry, of Red River county, succeeding John F. Wallace, will mark the only important change in State government at the year's end. Senator DeBerry, a thorough and an able liberal, made "the Spivins boys" famous during his long service in the Senate, and is one of Austin's most popular public characters.

## Judging Contest Sponsored by Sabinal

From The Owl.

Members of the Hondo Future Farmers' Poultry, Grain, Livestock, and Soil Conservation teams journeyed to Sabinal where they met stiff competition with nine other schools, last Saturday.

Devine, Yancey, Hondo and Dilley were winners of the contests and the high point men of the different divisions received a gold medal. Devine won the sweepstakes cup which was offered by the Sabinal F. F. A., Dilley won the poultry judging with Carroll as high point man, Walter Weynand of Hondo won the grain contest, also being high point man of the division. The livestock contest was won by Devine with Neal Saathoff of Yancey as high point man and the contests ended with Devine winning the Soil Conservation, Mann, of Devine, being the high point man.

Mr. Harold Thomas of Crystal City was elected band director of the Winter Garden District and members of the band will be composed of Future Farmers of the same district.

Decisions were made to have a district banquet, which will be held at Dilley, April 30, 1938.

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## WASHINGTON SNAPSHOTS.

By James Preston.

The opinions here expressed are Mr. Preston's own and not necessarily those of this paper.—M. E. Congress in no uncertain terms is standing up on its hind legs and demanding the right to legislate as it feels best. The reason? The business recession and the desire to avoid sitting by idle while the country is forced into another tailspin like that which followed 1929.

One factual result already evident is that the five-point program set up for the special session has been knocked a-winding. Bets now are that only one of these will be enacted and two new ones probably substituted.

The original program included farm, wage-hour, government reorganization, "little TVA" and anti-trust bills. Of all these, leaders now believe that only farm legislation has any chance of passage and even that might be put over until January.

The new planks in the program are legislation to stimulate housing and to eliminate or modify the tax on undistributed corporation income. Both of these are being put forward because Congress knows the general public wants legislation which will stimulate confidence rather than breed fear.

That is the reason, too, why wage-hour, "little TVA," anti-trust and government reorganization bills won't be pushed—they stimulate fear, not confidence.

This Washington talk about budget balancing is serious, as evidenced by the President's letter to Senator Barkley calling attention to the fact that \$250,000,000 or thereabouts must be raised to finance the new farm plan and that extra taxes must be levied where more expenditures are legislated.

The budget can't be balanced and the farm plan financed too without one of two things and probably both. (1) restoration of confidence so that business will pick up and tax collections stop their downward skid, and (2) the levying of some new taxes.

The budget balancing demands and depression fears are so strong now that more and more Congressmen are selling themselves upon the idea that manufacturers sales tax must be restored too. It all comes out of the same pocket, they realize, but too many business taxes defeat their own end by drying up the reservoirs.

Somebody needs to amend not only the Federal Housing Act but also the feeling that exists between Secretary Ickes of the Interior Department and Nathan Straus, chief of the new housing set-up.

Ickes battled Congress and finally got the new housing organization put under his control. Then Straus, whom Ickes didn't like very much, was made head of the new agency.

The feeling between the two cropped out at a recent conference at which Ickes admitted that three years ago he authorized wire-tapping to check up on his aides. Straus served notice that if his wires were tapped there would be plenty of fireworks.

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He doesn't laugh at our old shack And the clothes we have to wear. And though we live across the tracks He doesn't seem to care.

Mother says the real old Saint Forgets such kids as us, But we ain't got no complaint— He can forget us if he must.

For every Christmas, right on the day, Our Santa comes in his car And brings us clothes and things we need— He likes us just as we are.

And then he laughs with tears in his eyes, And gets in his car in front of our shack, And we wave goodbye to him, And he waves back.

He lives on the hill above the town, And he is so good and kind, I don't care if the real Santa isn't around—

We've got one just as fine. —Dalton Linder, Corsicana.

## NEW FRIEND.

Just why I like you and you like me, Ah! no, we could not answer, but Since this lovely spark is lighted— Let's keep the flame aglow.

Dorothy Laura Payne, Terrell.

## GUARDIAN.

A memory of childhood faith comes back; That an angel bright Folded his wide, white wings at dusk And sat by me all night!

Would he might come again to me, My weary eyelids close, Send forth my spirit to wander far, Give to my heart repose!

—Theresa M. Hunter, Austin.

## BOTH ARTISTS.

Ernie Passeja takes his notes a ride On his sweet trombone's slide, Making them go away up high; He is an artist giving us delight. The wind, too, is an artist tonight With its wild, joyful, free cry As it races along under a dark sky, As it takes its notes in weird wails Down man-made streets or lonely trails.

—DALE GUHL.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Frey and son, Simon, from Dunlap were San Antonio visitors Saturday. They were accompanied home by their son and brother, Leon of Kelly Field who spent the week-end at the Frey home. Enroute home they stopped over here for a short visit.

The Bandera New Era.

### A PARTY.

The Middle Verde Community enjoyed a party and weiner roast at the school house Friday night. Various games were enjoyed throughout the evening. Delicious refreshments of roasted weiners, pies, cakes and coffee were served to the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Britsch, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Britsch, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hardt, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eckhardt, Mr. and Mrs. D. Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Thallman, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Anderwald, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Britsch, Mr. and Mrs. George Maass, Mrs. Irene Byars, Mrs. Ben Clark, Mrs. A. V. Nelson, Misses Virginia Pyka, Gladys Britsch, Alta Belle, Ada B. and Elna Adams, Ruby Lee Hardt, Gladys, Clarice and Mary Lee Eckhart, Darlene Crowell, Barbara Nelson, Helen Maass, Ruth and Anna Parsons, Ida Belle Byars, Robert Haby, Will Whitley, Wayne and Gilbert Moore, Lloyd Britsch, George Maass, Jr., Mitchell Anderwald, Warren Davenport, Alton Rugh and Jim Taps.

### BOERNER-SPROTT.

A simple but pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Britsch at Bandera last Thursday, November 25, at three o'clock in the afternoon when the latter's sister, Miss Nora Sprott of Comfort became the bride of Mr. Erno Boerner, also of Comfort. Justice Wm. Fellbaum read the marriage ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her father, Otto Sprott of Tarpley.

The rooms of the Britsch home were decorated with autumn flowers and streamers of pastel colored crepe paper led to a large white wedding bell under which the ceremony was performed.

The bride was attended by Miss Theresa Boerner, sister of the groom, and Reht. Lindner of Comfort was best man. The bride was lovely in a dress of dark green crepe, and she wore a corsage of roses. The bridesmaid wore a pale green dress and a corsage of small blossoms.

After the ceremony a delicious turkey wedding dinner was served to the immediate members of the two families and a few intimate friends.

The bride is the attractive daughter of Otto Sprott of Tarpley, while the groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Boerner. The young couple have a host of friends here who join the News in wishing them happiness.

The young couple are at home on the farm of the groom's grandmother, Mrs. Rud. Herbst, near Comfort. On Friday night they were tendered a charivari by about 125 friends and relatives. Dancing was enjoyed and at midnight refreshments of coffee, cake, and sandwiches were served. Beer was served throughout the evening.—Comfort News.

Mrs. Howard Short and children of Hondo were shopping here Thursday.

Guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Schmidt at Lipscomb Ranch were: Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Haby and son of Dunlap, Arnold Newsom and Bill Heyen of Hondo, Chas. Schmidt of Devine, B. Kooper and D. H. McDowell of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoet of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon S. S. Kagg of George West, Mrs. D. H. Carl of San Antonio, Mrs. T. O. Oliver of Devine and Mrs. Barton of Mission.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Wiemers and children of Hondo visited Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Wiemers last Saturday.

B. G. Wiemers made a business trip to Center Point Friday.

B. G. Wiemers and Walter Trenkelbach attended the FFA meeting at the St. Anthony Hotel in San Antonio Thursday night.

Mrs. Alex Mangold, who has been in a San Antonio hospital, returned home Sunday.

The La Pryor New Era.

WILCOX NO. 2 SHOWS OIL, NOW WAITING ON CEMENT.

The H. F. Wilcox Oil and Gas Company's No. 2 T. J. Gilliam in the Batesville field in the northeast corner of Zavala county and 18 miles east of La Pryor, Tuesday was coring for the Edwards limestone below 3950 feet. Operators found small oil show from 3932-34 feet, and are waiting on cement after running casing to prevent water seepage when the well is brought in.

Sand with a little black oil was logged at 3571-78 feet, and Austin chalk at 3110-3608 feet.

At 3975 1/2 feet, a 1 1/2 foot saturated section of very porous material was recovered.

Operators will drill plugs on December 11, total depth being 3977 feet.

This test is about 400 feet from the Wilcox No. 1 producer, which was completed at a total depth of 3949 feet in the Edwards lime, and is flowing a large amount of low gravity oil.

Fig. canneries, which started in Texas in 1903, by 1936 were well out of the depression, according to the All-South Development Council, and were using 25,000 pounds of fresh figs per day.

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**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

WINDROW'S orders flowers. tf. For paint that stays put see the HONDO LUMBER CO. All kinds of drinks, at CARLE'S CONFECTIONERY. Try one of our hamburgers, the largest in town for 10c. OASIS CAFE.

The Yancey Freshmen English Club met December 6, 1937. We elected the officers as follows: President.....Amy Melton Vice President.....Esther Faseler Secretary.....Ruth Hardt Reporter.....Mildred Ward We had an interesting program and the meeting adjourned.

Phone in your news items—your friends want to know about you.

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Mr. Otto Bendele of Castroville was a business visitor here Wednesday.

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Mr. Will F. Naegelin of Castroville was a business visitor in Hondo Tuesday.

Mrs. Ray Worley of Uvalde is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Heyen.

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Mrs. George Newsom of Pearsall visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boon, last week-end.

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## QUIHI NOTES.

And Isaac sowed in that land, and received in the same year an hundredfold; and the Lord blessed him. Gen. 26:12.

"Much Ado About Nothing." Why the commotion about Isaac's fake king, till he was caught? Why the indigitation and heated argument between king and peasant? Why wasting words on Isaac's conduct there or anywhere? Was the king not just one of the "Gojim", the heathen, that could be mulcted, deceived and abused without any qualms of conscience, as the later "Mishna", the rabbinic interpretation, of later centuries seems to allow? It does not seem to ruffle the Lord's feelings. Was it a capital offense of a shrewd shyster that garners applause on high? Has the Lord His "petts" whom He patronizes, regardless of what they perpetrate? Isaac's rich harvest and renewed blessings seem to point that way. That thought strikes home quite often. There are infinitely worse offenders than seem to get by with their "guff", and the Lord remains silent and passive. Napoleon marched into Russia with 600,000 men; only 75,000 returned. Grant was called the "butcher" by the peace party of his time, after some 54,000 soldiers had been mowed down. Stalin has put over 1,400 against the wall in 16 months, by his "purge". Statesmen and diplomats, political factions and parties, munition makers and revolutionaries, strikers and rioters, can they count the victims of their "body course"? History will never record the ghastly number of those killed by inexcusable carelessness in the strategy, in traffic on land and sea, underground, in the air, in hospitals and laboratories, in factories and plants; killed by drink, narcotics and crime, by foolish fervor and raggadocio, by prejudice and misconstruction, by propaganda and insulation, by lack of charity, even by vicious bigotry and fanaticism (in the Massacre of St. Bartholomew, 572, near 100,000 Huguenots were slain). Sometimes one, sometimes a series and clique, often large organizations bear the responsibility. Is the Lord? Conniving at it, silent and passive, instead of having them dogged in their footsteps, slain their track? Who are we to demand the Lord? He speaks and acts due time. Proofs and living documents for that a plenty. Up to that time He is merciful and long-suffering; for He does not want the death of the sinner but that he repent. He gives rich harvests and other blessings, and art thou not "knowing at the goodness of God leadeth thee to repentance"? We know not how the heart of Isaac looked after his sinful folly, we can imagine; but we know, if God would strike harder every sin committed, this would be a vast and silent graveyard long ago. And rather than censurize others, I'd place myself beside who said, God be merciful to me sinner.

Our sincere sympathy goes out to Henry Bohlen family in the sad bereavement that came upon them so unexpectedly. The obituary explains.

In two other homes the Lord has placed little newcomers. A baby girl in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Zen, and a baby boy with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schulte, Jr. His blessing upon them.

The Luther League program again is given with the usual set-up and many in song and recitation otherwise enjoyed by a fair audience. The little Misses Mary Ann and Helen Boehle ventured out on a solo number. A first attempt and with great courage. The business meeting was attended by over forty with many guests. The election brought a few changes: Vice-president, Mr. Frank Boehle; secretary, Arnold Reitzer; treasurer, Miss Helen Grell; sick committee, the Della Hartman, Hertha Weebles. These officers will be installed Sunday together with the officers of the Ladies' Aid. A vote of thanks was given to the former officers, to Miss Emma Nienhoefner for their service.

A few words on the Christmas schedule: The program of the Sun-school has been set for December 24th, at 7 P. M. On December 25th, at 10:30 A. M., the

ber the 25th we have our Christmas service at 10:30; Confessional service at 10:15; administration of the Lord's Supper, all in German. Please announce yourself. And we invite you cordially to these occasions.

Announcements for December the 19th: German service at 10:30; Sunday school at 9:30; final rehearsal for Christmas program at 2:30; English service at 7 P. M. And all for you. Come.

## ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

A special meeting of the congregation will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 21, at 7:30 P. M. for the purpose of calling a pastor. At that time Pres. E. A. Sagefield, head of the Texas District, American Lutheran Church, will be in charge of the gathering. The matter is of such great importance that the interest and presence of all members is desired. All voting members of 21 years and over are urged to be present. This meeting was formerly announced for next Sunday, but was changed to next Tuesday to comply with the President's schedule.

English service next Sunday, Dec. 19, at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school and Bible Class meet at 9:00 A. M. Rehearsal for the Christmas Eve program on Saturday, Dec. 18, at 3:00 P. M.

Service at Sprottville next Sunday at 2:30 P. M.

Christmas Eve program will be held as usual on Christmas Eve, Friday, Dec. 24, at 7:45 P. M.

## METHODIST NOTES.

Morning Service 10 o'clock.

Evening Service 5 o'clock.

At Christmas we remember the orphan children in our home at Waco. It will require \$125,000 to run the home this year. Bring your offering to one of the services Sunday. Remember at five o'clock we have a service of Christmas Carols under the direction of Mrs. G. R. Smartt. The Christmas tree service will be Thursday evening the 23rd.

W. S. Highsmith.

## NOTICE.

Inasmuch as our present contract with the nightwatchman expires this month, it becomes necessary that we enter into a new annual contract beginning Jan. 1, 1938 and applications will be received not later than Dec. 26, 1937.

Anyone interested will please make their application in writing, addressed to the Chamber of Commerce, and in the mail so that it will be received by December 26, 1937.

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## POLITICAL CALENDAR FOR 1938.

This year 1938 is studded with many important political dates.

The subjjoined calendar, compiled by Vann M. Kennedy, Secretary of the State Democratic Executive Committee, lists the most important dates and events.

The time for holding the next state democratic convention is uncertain because of conflicting election laws, Kennedy explained. The calendar:

Jan. 31st—Last day for obtaining poll tax receipts.

June 6th—Last day upon which state office candidates and district office candidates (in districts containing more than one county) may file applications to have their names listed on the Democratic Primary ballot.

June 13th—State Democratic Executive Committee meets to make up ballot for Primary Election.

Committee also designates place where State Democratic convention will meet in September.

June 18th—Last day upon which county and precinct office candidates, and district office candidates (in Districts composed of only one county) may file applications to have their names listed on the primary election ballot.

June 20th—County Democratic executive committees meet to determine, by lot, the order of names listed on the ballot; to estimate expenses of the Primary Election; to assess costs against candidates.

July 23rd—First Primary Election Day.

In counties of 150,000 and more population, polls open from 7:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M. In counties of less population, polls open from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.

Precinct conventions meet and elect delegates to county conventions.

July 30th—Democratic county executive committees meet to canvass results of First Primary Election.

Democratic county conventions meet to select delegates to district and state conventions.

August 6th—State Democratic

Executive Committee meets at Austin to canvass results of First Primary Election in all state and district office races.

Committee lists names to go on official ballot for Second Primary Election.

Certification of Democratic candidates nominated in First Primary made for General Election ballot.

August 27th—Second Primary Election Day.

Sept. 6th (Sept. 13th)—Meeting of State Democratic Convention to adopt a platform of principles, to declare nominations for state offices; to elect State Chairman and new State Democratic Executive Committee of 31 men and 31 women.

Note: Because of an error in a bill enacted by the 45th Legislature, the convention date was fixed for one week in advance of the time when the State Democratic Executive Committee can meet to canvass election returns. Unless this date is changed, the convention, presumably, will be unable to announce official nominations for state offices. Properly, the State Convention should meet on September 13th.

Sept. 12th—State Democratic Executive Committee holds session in the city selected for the meeting of the State Democratic Convention, canvasses returns of the Second Primary Election; prescribes the

order of business for the Convention, and prepares list of convention delegates.

Nov. 18th—General Election Day.

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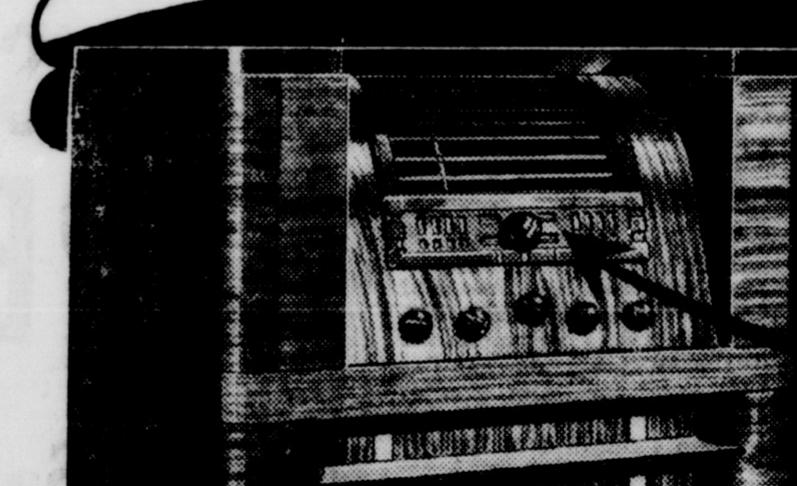
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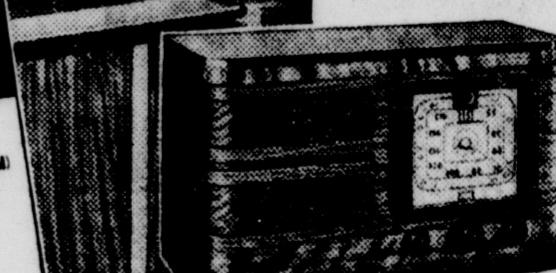
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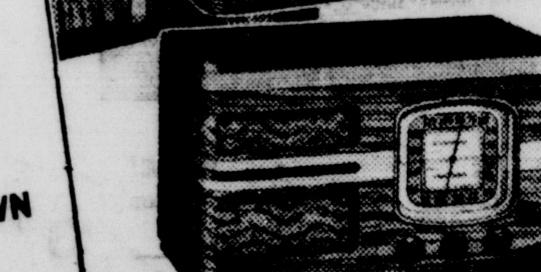
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LA VERN RIHN, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Miss Rihn or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Miss Rihn is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1937

## FOR YOUR 1938 HUDSON AND TERRAPLANE SEE JOE A. BADER FOR A DEMONSTRATION.

Mrs. Alois Wetz and daughter, and Mrs. August Halbardier of San Antonio were visitors here Wednesday.

Martin Tschirhart of Quihl visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Tschirhart Wednesday.

Miss Isabelle Karm was a San Antonio visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mehr and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clinis Haby at Haby Settlement Sunday.

Miss Doris Bippert of LaCoste is spending several days with Miss Gladys Geiger.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Halty of Hondo were Castroville visitors Sunday.

Mrs. A. A. Christilles and Mrs. Joe Grimsinger of San Antonio spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. George Jungman of LaCoste visited with Mr. and Mrs. Reinhardt Geiger and children Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jungman and daughter were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clinis Haby and baby Sunday.

Joseph and Frances Hoog were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Russell of San Antonio visited relatives here Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Falkenberg visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wurzbach last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Marty of San Antonio were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. Reinhardt Geiger spent Friday with friends at LaCoste.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Bippert and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clinis Haby and baby Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Lewis and niece, Kathryn Karm, of Uvalde visited in the Lieber home Sunday evening.

Mr. Russell Haby of Rio Medina was a Castroville and Hondo visitor Saturday.

Mrs. A. H. Tondre was a San Antonio visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bourquin and daughter, Betty Jean, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tondre and children Sunday.

The music pupils of the St. Louis School of Castroville attended the recital at Our Lady of the Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schott and son were Devine visitors Sunday.

Messrs. Harvey Tondre, Marion Tschirhart, Marlin Naegelin and Leon Groff were Hondo visitors Sunday.

Mrs. B. F. FitzSimon and Mrs. H. A. Tondre were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Muennink of Hondo were Castroville visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Haby are the proud parents of a baby boy born Monday, December 13th at the Medina Hospital.

Messrs. Clement Tondre and Robert Williamson were visitors at Garner Point Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bohl and children of Devine visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard FitzSimon and family Sunday.

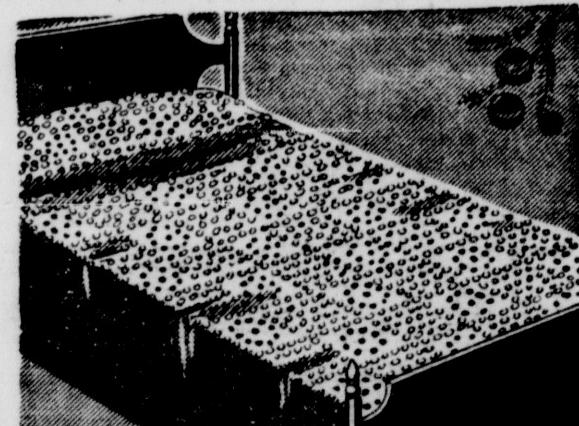
Mr. Clement Tondre was a San Antonio visitor Tuesday. He took his last Navy examination and is ready to sail.

The Lutheran Confirmation Class will start on Saturday, January the eighth, at nine o'clock in the morning at the church.

Next Sunday night the Lutheran Sunday School will render a Christmas program at the Zion's Lutheran Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar de Montel and Mr. Charles de Montel visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert de Montel, in Hondo. Mr. de Montel continues sick at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. E. Haas, in Hondo.

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## Every Night Is Halloween To the Motorist Taxpayer!



five per cent of the wealth of the Nation is in the hands of 10 per cent of the people, but this concentrated wealth helps to promote progress and industry. This ten per cent bears its share of the total expense of the Nation. The other ninety per cent are known as workers and through their labor put into circulation the product of wealth. Thus commerce is established, and trade of the world carried on. The early pioneers were self-sustaining. Today we have specialists through scientific inventions, complex problems of society. The world has progressed more in the last twenty-five years than in the preceding 500 years. The procession goes onward. No one can sit idly by. Labor is looking for shorter hours, hence more leisure. The laboring classes are seeking beauty spots where they can enjoy the leisure time. The Medina River affords this mecca. It's ideal. Why not transform it into a park that shall be second to none? Why not make Castroville the center of education for the surrounding community. It takes concerted action to secure the schools that the children need today. Youth must be equipped for life in better schools than we offer in the rural districts. He faces keener competition. His opportunities are nation wide, so are his competitors. The best equipment is not too good. It takes a price and a sacrifice. Your sacrifice for your child shows your love and interest in him. Prepare him for life. Give the child what he needs. Combine the schools for greater activities and greater accomplishments. PUT YOUR TRUST IN THE CHILD. Prof. Ulrich of the University of San Antonio spoke briefly on the needs of larger districts and bus transportation.

Rev. Falkenberg was introduced to the audience. He will be the speaker at the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce on January 4th. Come and hear him.

Prof. O. Miller, Sup't. of Horace Mann, Jr. High School, San Antonio, was then introduced. He spoke on the "Forward Movement" in all lines of industry and undertaking. His address was practical, logical, and to the point. He said that it required a greater determination to progress and stay in the front line with those who desire to do things. Civilization has come to more complex forms of life. The hunter and fisherman have turned to agriculture. New industries spring up daily. The machine has displaced manual labor. Living is made easier. Man has leisure time to devote to nobler tasks. He lives and contributes to the livelihood and comforts of others. The principles of Christianity must permeate his life and actions and give him greater vision of the responsibility he owes his less fortunate fellowmen. Eighty-

After adjournment the usual repast followed overseen by "Chief" Haller.

### COUNTY COUNCIL MEETS.

The Medina County Council met at Yancey, Dec. 11th with a goodly number of delegates and visitors present. Mrs. A. Y. Troutman, State Director of Health of State Congress of Parent-Teachers, delivered a very interesting and instructive address on health and the health program, in her usual enthusiastic manner. Mrs. R. D. Bippert reported on the State Convention held at Beaumont.

The Council went on record to encourage and sponsor a county-wide inoculation program for smallpox and diphtheria. The vice-presidents of the council will in near future contact teachers and health committees in a survey as to how many will want to take advantage of this program so that vaccines can be ordered accordingly. The professional services will be free, thanks to our professional men. We hope parents, teachers and committees will as usual render their co-operation. The parent is expected to pay for vaccine only which will be very reasonable. Cost will be announced later, in so far as we know now, 15c for smallpox and 60c for diphtheria.

C. F. SCHWEERS, Chairman.

### TWO STORY TOWN HOUSE.

The 10-room, two story residence in north part of Hondo, built by Olin E. Lacy, situated on five lots and

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## D'Hanis Doings

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1937

Messrs. Nic, Henry, and Chas. Walter and their sister, Mrs. Helen Mills, have moved into their comfortable new farm home near here. Their guests this week are Mr. and Mrs. August Brown of San Antonio, and Mrs. Augusta Bauman of El Paso.

The friends of Miss Lina Saathoff regret to hear of her severe illness. She is in a critical condition at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Haby are the parents of an infant son born on Monday, December 13, 1937.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reinhart and daughter, Lena, Mrs. Alice Reinhart, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rothe and son, Fred Louis, spent Sunday at Rio Frio where they attended a family reunion at the home of Mrs. Laura Meyer. The occasion marked Mrs. Meyer's seventy-fourth birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Lutz announce the birth of a boy on Monday, December 13, 1937.

Rev. Eugene Zuber went to San Antonio Wednesday to be present at the golden jubilee of the ordination of his former superior, Rev. Albert Antoine, O. M. I.

### SOCIAL CLUB.

Mrs. Reily Carle was hostess to the members of the Social Club and other friends last Saturday afternoon. The Christmas theme was featured in decorations and bridge appointments. Mrs. O. J. Reinhart, member and Mrs. Eric Rothe, guest, received prizes for high scores. Prizes were also given Mrs. M. A. Zinsmeyer for the cut and Mrs. D. W. Scott for low score. The hostess, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. James Finger, served

delicious refreshments at the close of the games. In present were Mesdames Henry, Ben Koch, Eric Rothe, John Zinsmeyer, Ferdinand Rock, Chas. Langfeld, S. Sechrist, Herman Couser, L. Carle, Jr., R. R. Carle, and Mrs. Armine Fohn, Tina Rothe, Ursie Rock and Cornelia Koch.

### GINGHAM GIRLS BRIDGE CL

The Gingham Girls enjoyed pleasant afternoon of bridge Wednesday with Miss Lillian Fohn hostess in her home. The applicants were in the Christmas mood. The prize for high score was given to Miss Stella Finger, and Mrs. Thurston Nester received low. Miss Virga Rothe drew high for consolation. The hostess served delicious pie and coffee to Mrs. Arthur Fohn, Mrs. James Finger, and Mrs. Irene Carle, Alice Rohrbach, and Stella Finger, Ursie Lee, John Zinsmeyer, Sarah Koch, John Rieber, Sara, Melvira and Virga Rothe.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Windrow and family of San Antonio visited home-  
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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lacy and daughter, Elizabeth, of Brenham visited Mrs. Isaac Wilson and other relatives here last week-end.

Miss Lissette Wiemers of Yancey underwent a major operation on December 6th at Medina Hospital. She is now on the road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roberson left Wednesday for Austin, Texas, where they plan to make their home. Their relatives and friends regret their departure.

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Mr. and Mrs. Otto Haegelin of Astroville visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Montel at the home of Judge Mrs. H. E. Haas Thursday afternoon. They report a fine rain in their neighborhood this week.

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The sports scribes at the Hondo regional championship last Friday were very grateful to the Athletic Board of Hondo High School for the inclosed press box and Mr. W. H. Case for the warmth provided by the use of Vapo-gas. The city was grateful also to Mr. Case for the public address system, which was installed by Geo. Gaskell and Y. Gorman of R. C. A. and South Equipment Company of San Antonio, and to Prof. Smartt for his play account of the game.

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## IN MEMORY OF HENRY BOHLEN, SR.

Only a few weeks ago, in the latter part of October, we were assembled for a brief farewell devotion with friends and kinfolk of the Bohlen family. In the midst of the circle sat one in buoyant and hopeful spirit, listening to the prayer and good wishes from many sides. He had been ailing for some time. A change of climate, altitude and general surroundings in the state of Arizona, in the home of his children there, had promised a new lease on life. With these prospects in view, he had consented to leave his home county for the time being and regain his health. The Lord has decreed otherwise. Sunday his mortal remains were brought back; Monday we did him the last honor at his funeral.

Henry Bohlen, Sr., was born on June 28, 1880, at Quihi. His parents were Ernest August Bohlen and Volke, nee Gerdes. Rev. A. Falkenberg administered the holy rite of baptism on August 8, the same year, thereby securing him the heavenly blessings for his bringing up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord, as was the anxious desire of his pious parents. Under Rev. G. Czernus he received his instruction and was confirmed on March the 18th, 1894.

His youth was spent chiefly in the Quihi community and he had been farming most of his life, though, as a side-line, he had engaged in butchering later for a number of seasons.

On March the 12th, 1904, he was joined in holy wedlock with Miss Ida Nienhoefner, at the little church at New Fountain, the Rev. Kuepels performing the ceremony. The Lord has blessed this union with six children and all of them, with their mother, bemoan the death of their father.

After his marriage Mr. Bohlen changed his abode quite frequently, living near Quihi, New Fountain, Poteet, Hondo, Vandenberg, Sabinal, then again at Quihi and the last few weeks of his life at Warren, Arizona. For a number of years, previous to our time, he was a member of the Quihi Lutheran church. In our numerous visits there, both before and during his days of declining health, we always found him receptive to the word of God, and his faith in Christ unimpaired.

Physically strong and of robust health, though not entirely free of the frailty and the suffering of human bodies through many years, he never had any period of real sickness in a long life. Only of late he was forced to resort to medical care and to let up in his wonted routine and work and to submit to involuntary retirement, although his malady developed no really serious features.

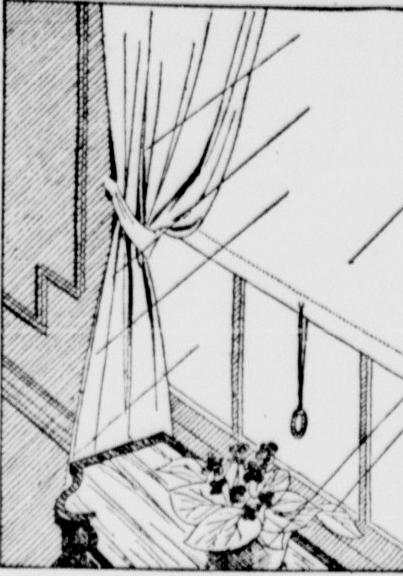
The change of location did not bring any material change in one way or another in the first stage. A few weeks ago, however, a marked change for the worse developed and his condition rapidly came to a climax by cerebral hemorrhages. He breathed his last on Friday, December the 10th, at 12:20 A. M., at an age of 57 years, 5 months and 14 days, surrounded by the members of the family.

Those mourning his death are the widow, Mrs. Henry Bohlen, and his children, Walter, of Warren, Arizona, Velma (Mrs. Walter Balzen, of Upper Quihi), Melvin, also of Warren, Erna (Mrs. G. E. Martland, of San Antonio), Henry, of Upper Quihi, and Lorine (Mrs. Geo. Hardt, of Arizona). There are 10 grandchildren, the last one born at the very minute when the grandfather closed his eyes in death. Among the mourners are one brother, Mr. John G. Bohlen, Dunlay; three sisters, Mrs. August Schlaudt of Warren, Arizona, Mrs. Henry Rolf, San Antonio, Mrs. Fritz Nienhoefner, of the Vandenberg settlement, including a host of relatives and friends. May the God of real comfort be their staff in these days of grief and sadness.

The body was shipped to Hondo, accompanied by Mr. Melvin Bohlen. The funeral service was held on December the 13th, at the Horger Funeral Home, with interment at the Oakwood Cemetery. The large number of mourners attending the last rites, and many floral offerings, gave

## Christmas Windows Wear Sunrose Shades!

By Jane Rogers



CERTAINLY you want to make your home as gay and fresh as possible for Christmas. Remember all the guests who will be popping in and out. You'll use your lovely Christmas wreaths—I'm sure you'll have fresh curtains at the windows—but will you have sparkling new cloth shades? They're the eyes of your home you know, and my, how your neighbors judge you and your excellence as a housekeeper just by looking at your windows!

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evidence of the esteem held toward the departed and the bereaved family.

The pall-bearers were: Emil Lindenburg, Edgar Balzen, Elmer Nienhoefner, Clarence Bohlen, Walter Sauthoff and Roy Nienhoefner.

The Lord hath given, the Lord hath taken; the name of the Lord be praised.

C. WEBER,  
Pastor.

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF MEDINA COUNTY.

The Texas League for Equal and Uniform Taxation, Inc., by reason of its activity and intimate knowledge of school and tax matters, unquestionably, during the last eighteen years, contributed the major part towards the defeat of legislation which had for its purpose the distribution of the available school fund on the basis of daily attendance in the public schools instead of the census enumeration, thereby saving for the schools and the taxpayers of this section of the State millions of dollars.

It is easily understood that such loss to the schools could only be compensated by an additional tax levy, which additional taxes, would increase the already too heavy burden placed upon property.

Preceding the convening of the 45th Legislature, the Manager of the League, personally, and by means of literature, conducted a campaign into over sixty Representative Districts, in opposition to the aforesaid legislation, as a result of which, the measure was again defeated in the House of Representatives, and is

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# OWLETS

PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWS ITEMS  
FROM THE OWL

## FIRST GRADE TALKS.

Doris Schulte has a new baby brother. He hasn't a name as yet; they want a very fine name for him.

Robert Carle went hunting with his daddy. They killed a big rabbit.

Marilyn Cagle will move this week to her new home on the Quifi road.

Our room looks like Christmas; Santa Claus is on our sand table. You may think it hasn't snowed, but just look at our sand-table and you will change your mind.

We were all ready for our program Monday afternoon. We will be Santa's toys. Which would you rather be Santa's toys, or the boys and girls who get the toys? We haven't decided, but it might be better to be the boys and girls.

—Owlets—

## THIRD GRADE NEWS.

Henry Holloway went to the creek Sunday and shot fire crackers. One of them went off in his hand.

Bobby Nester and Jacqueline Holling are back in school after a week's absence.

Gerald Britsch went to his grandfather's Sunday and shot fire crackers.

Jimmy Vaughan's mother came home from the hospital Friday.

Sonny Woolls went to the ranch Saturday, moved house, shot quail and fire crackers.

Betty Ann Garrison went to see Mr. and Mrs. Burger and Sunday her cousins came to see her.

Mary Joyce Saathoff went to see her aunt Saturday.

Berlean Mumme's aunt came to see her Sunday.

Jimmy Vaughan and Norma Kollman were at the football game Friday.

Maybeth Barry and Catherine Woolls visited Catherine's grandmother Friday.

Arthur Brucks has a little white rabbit, that is afraid of fire crackers.

Arlie Gene Brucks and his daddy planted a garden Sunday.

—Owlets—

## FOURTH GRADE REPORTS.

Dorothy Bohnfalk went to Yancey Saturday and New Fountain Sunday.

Neoma Cosgrove visited her aunt in Bandera this week-end.

Ariah Eckhart went to Legion, Texas.

Patsy Lou Kollman went to San Antonio Saturday.

Laura Ann Muennink went to Yancey Sunday.

Ruby Watson celebrated her birthday Saturday.

Ashbel Gilliam went to San Antonio Saturday.

Richard Lynch went to San Antonio Saturday.

—Owlets—

## HOMEMAKING CLASS SERVES FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

The Homemaking girls served an informal dinner to the football boys and their coaches Friday morning, December 10th. The meal followed rigid training rules and was served in the homemaking department.

Thursday, December 9, the second year homemaking class served a formal dinner as one of their laboratory assignments. The captain of the football team, Monroe Rucker, and the Editor-in-chief of The Owl, R. D. Windrow, were guests. The menu consisted of:

Beef Roast	Creamed Carrots
Baked Potatoes	Spinach Salad
Lemons	Hot Tea
	Cream
	Fruit Cup

—Owlets—

## H. H. S. TO HAVE CHRISTMAS PROGRAM.

The High School of Hondo is going to have a real "get-together" December the twenty-second. Instead of each room having their own Christmas tree they are going together and have a large tree in the auditorium. The F. F. A. boys are to get the tree and the Homemaking girls will decorate it. A program, to be given by high school students, will be sponsored by Mrs. C. D. Sadler. This plan will express a deeper realization of Christmas, and will be entertaining because of the program.

—Owlets—

## GRADUATES TO WED.

Two Hondo High School ex-graduates, Miss Charlotte Miller and Mr. Jack Draughton will be united in marriage on December 25. Miss Miller graduated from Hondo High School in 1933 and Mr. Draughton graduated in 1931. Miss Doris Windrow of Hondo and Mr. Murray Stevenson of Cotulla will also be married Christmas Day. Miss Windrow graduated from Hondo High School in 1935; Mr. Stevenson is teaching coaching at Cotulla.

—Owlets—

## Eagles Take To The Air For Victory and Regional Honors

### Devine, Pearsall, and Carrizo Add to Pepsters' Display

Performing colorful stunts before 2,000 grid fans, two pep squads, a band, a drum and bugle corp added much color to the supporting casts of the Hondo Owls and the Eldorado Eagles in a pep squad gathering, which will be long remembered in the history of Hondo High School.

Eldorado's thirty pep squad girls out of 160 enrolled in high school are sponsored by Mr. Marshall Elmore and Miss Evelyn Strickland, made a striking number in their black skirts and white blouses, with Miss Mabel Whitley, Miss Earnestine Finnigan and Miss Charlene Mund leading the yell. The Hondo blues and whites, under the supervision of Miss Ellabelle Radford and being led in yell by Miss Billye Merritt, Miss Susie Muennink and Miss Kathleen Reily, supported the Hondo Owls splendidly.

The Pearsall drum and bugle corps, dressed in their green and white uniforms combined with the Hondo pep squad, really did some rooting. The maroon and gold representing Devine's band, played some of the Hondo school songs. Although the Carrizo pep squad could not be at the game, two of their yell leaders, Miss Ruth White and Miss Betty Calahan assisted the Hondo yell leaders in leading some of the yell. Other pep squads were invited, but could not be at the game were Cotulla, Sabinal, Crystal City, Uvalde and Del Rio.

—Owlets—

### S. A. Reporters Cover Regional Tilt in Hondo

Ed Elmendorf, sports writer of the San Antonio Light, and Clarence Weikel, sports scribe from the San Antonio Express, covered the regional football battle here last Friday for their respective papers. Both the Light and the Express carried stories on the game as well as the Evening News, which is published by the same company that the Express is. A large cut showing the start of a long run by quarterback Williams of the Eagles was in the Light.

A press box, built especially for the Eldorado-Hondo game, will remain a permanent part of the bleachers. The press box was used by both the sport scribes and the public address system announcer.

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### PLAY-BY-PLAY ACCOUNT OF GAMEGIVEN SPECTATORS

#### R. C. A. & SOUTHERN EQUIPMENT PROVIDE BROADCASTING FACILITIES.

Play-by-play the game last Friday was announced to the spectators through a very efficient public address system. The equipment was installed by Messrs. George Gaskell and D. Y. Gorman through the courtesy of R. C. A., Southern Equipment Company and Mr. Walter Case, R. C. A. dealer in Hondo.

Mr. G. R. Smartt, science teacher, of Hondo High School, acted as announcer.

—Owlets—

#### H. H. S. TO HAVE CHRISTMAS PROGRAM.

The Hondo Chapter of the Future Farmers of America will present a comedy, "Hillbilly Courtship", on Friday evening, December 17 at the High School Auditorium. The price of admission will be fifteen cents for school children and twenty-five cents for adults.

The play takes place in the Ozark Mountains located in Arkansas. The Widow Peppin and deaf Pappy Stiltsby are going to shoot each other on sight because Pappy's pigs ate some of Ma Peppin's corn. To add to the comedy, Pappy's son, Luke, and Ma Peppin's daughter, Emmy, are in love. Ma and Pappy have gotten

wash Judd, a hillbilly nitwit, to write to a matrimonial bureau without telling anyone else about it. Wash puts Emmy's picture in Ma's letter and Luke's picture in Pappy's letter.

As a result of this a young Italian lad, Luis Cattara, comes to marry

Emmy and a daughter of old Ire-

Displaying a team superior in championship caliber to the Hondo Owls, the Eldorado Eagles swept through the air lanes to a 27 to 0 victory last Friday afternoon on Barry Field.

One of the best backfield combinations in the region was displayed when Coach Bynum turned loose Meador and Williams upon the Owls forward wall.

Picking the Owl's glaring weakness in the second period, quarterback Williams shot passes to his speedy ends and backs to a score. The failure at extra point attempt left some hope for Hondo's fans as their ace place kicker would probably send them ahead should their team score, but the Eagles defense thrice stiffened as Hondo penetrated the 20 yard line.

—Eldorado Receivers Glue-Fingered.

Somewhat of a new record was established in the percentage of completions on the Eagles passing game as virtually every thrust attempted found the waiting arms of a receiver.

Hondo's Forward Wall Dented.

The heretofore impenetrable forward wall of Hondo's was broken through on several occasions after an injury suffered by Bader, giant tackle, weakened it to a certain extent. But all in all it was the opponents aerial game that spelled defeat at such a large figure.

In the third period Williams again shot a pass to his left end which was good for a score.

Hondo then opened up with their passing attack and one of Eldorado's linemen intercepted a heave from Abbott to gallop to another score.

Midway in the fourth period with the ball on the Eagles 35 yard line Williams shot a pass to Meador who galloped 55 yards to Hondo's 10 before he was taken in from behind. They scored on four successive tackle thrusts.

The starting lineups were:

#### ELDORADO EAGLES

No.	Player	Wt.	Pos.
70	Friess	150	LE
65	Bruton, R.	170	LT
76	Bradley	135	LG
80	Jones	145	C
72	Edmiston	128	RG
71	McGinnes	170	RT
64	Bryant	150	RE
66	Williams, G.	170	Q
75	Meador	170	HB
77	Williams, B.	140	HB
63	Yates	150	FB

#### HONDO OWLS

No.	Player	Wt.	Pos.
36	Schuehle	140	LE
35	Pope	160	LT
25	Danie	148	LG
34	Rucker	160	C
41	Jennings	138	RG
32	Bader	170	RT
31	Leinweber	132	RE
27	Windrow	150	Q
26	Kollman	145	HB
20	Rothe	140	HB
29	Fitzpatrick	148	FB

#### FIFTH GRADE NEWS.

Jim Amberson went to San Antonio Sunday.

June Caraway spent the week-end in Castroville.

William Sumner went hunting Sunday.

Hal Hunter went to D'Hanis Sunday.

—Owlets—

## F. F. A. PRESENTS PLAY FRIDAY EVENING AT 7:30

### "HILLBILLY COURTSHIP" IS FIRST PLAY OF YEAR.

land, Bridget O'Flannigan, comes to marry Luke. The two Trifett girls, who have been in Kansas City singing on the radio, bring their manager with them when they come home for a rest. Ma thinks that their manager has come in answer to her letter for a husband and tries to marry him. The play ends with a marriage ending many difficulties.

The cast is as follows:

Luke Stiltsby.....Pappy's son and in love with Emmy.....Charles Finger

Emmy Peppin.....Ma's daughter and in love with Luke.....Judy Lacy

Ma Peppin.....A hardboiled hillbilly.....Elizabeth Reynolds

Pappy Stiltsby.....A very deaf hillbilly.....Roland Nester

Louis Cattara.....An Italian lad.....Arthur Lacy

Lula Trifett.....A mountain flapper who sings on the radio.....Kathleen Reily

Eddie Trifett.....Lula's sister.....Mary Ann Noonan

Wash Judd.....A hillbilly nitwit.....Ralph Steigler

Bridget O'Flannigan.....A wild Irish rose.....Zonia Taylor

Sol Silverstein.....The Trifetts manager.....Elmo Pope

Reverend Boswell.....A preacher man.....Albert Lacy

Emmy and a daughter of old Ire-

## BI-DISTRICT CHAMPIONS HONORED BY PEP SQUAD

### SIXTEEN OWLS TO RECEIVE LETTERS

In honor of this year's bi-district champions the Hondo Pep Squad will give a banquet followed by a dance, next Saturday night at 7:30.

Dinner will be served in the study hall to about one hundred people.

The Board of Trustees and their wives and the high school teachers and their escorts and wives will also be guests of the Pep Squad at the banquet. The grade teachers, high school boys, ex-football boys of the graduating classes of '37, '36, '35, '34, '33, '32, and the coaches and captains of each team on the Owls schedule this year are invited to attend the dance to be held at the Fair Grounds after the banquet.

Desks will be moved from the study hall and several long tables will be built to accommodate the Pep Squad and their guests. A football motif will be carried out in the decorations and program. Miniature blue and white football fields and sets of bleachers will be the center pieces on each table. Windows and walls of the study hall will be decorated with blue and white paper and the dance hall with autumn leaves.

Guests will be received at the entrance of the High



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The Anvil Herald is welcomed in Hondo homes — let it carry your message to the eyes of its readers.

The names called at the Colonial Theatre Tuesday night were Robert Oehler, Miss Frances Ellen Hans, and Miss Charlotte Brandon. See Colonial program for further announcements.

FOR RENT—9-room, two story dwelling located on five lots on graveled streets; good garage, large barn and other outhouses. Suitable for one, two or three families. Phone 127-3 rings or apply at Anvil Herald office.

M. C. Marburger, highway patrolman, was here from San Antonio Thursday with several members of his department for the purpose of issuing auto driver's licenses at the courthouse. While here Mr. Marburger paid this office a pleasant visit.

Mrs. Ione Crouch had as her guest last Monday afternoon, an old friend and schoolmate, Dr. G. E. Lewis of Springfield, Illinois. Dr. Lewis was enroute to Mexico City, and while in San Antonio drove out for a few hours' visit with Mrs. Crouch.

Mr. William Muench arrived last Friday from his home in New York City for a Christmas visit with his uncle, Mr. Wm. O'Donnell, and Mrs. O'Donnell. Mr. Muench has visited his relatives here several times and each visit is the occasion of great pleasure to them.

So many out-of-town people were here for the Eldorado-Hondo regional championship football game last Friday afternoon that we cannot begin to mention names. In spite of the cold weather, one of the largest crowds ever to witness a game on Barry Field was present on that day.

John Russell Crouch was here from Austin last week-end, visiting his mother, Mrs. Ione Crouch. John, Texas University swim star, may accompany the Longhorn team to Miami, Florida, over the Christmas holidays to compete in the National Aquatic Forum to be held at the Miami Biltmore Hotel there.

The best news in the paper this week is the holiday advertising. Local merchants are showing the largest and finest stock of Christmas wares to be found anywhere this season and the people of Medina County will do well to take advantage of the quality goods, large selection and fair prices offered. Do your Christmas shopping in Hondo.

In a communication to this office Mrs. L. J. Van Fleet writes to have her "dear old home paper" changed from Galveston to Fort Worth. Mrs. Van Fleet is making her home with her son, Wilburn Van Fleet, who recently became a member of the sports staff of the Fort Worth Star Telegram. Mr. Van Fleet was formerly sports editor of the Galveston Daily News.

Mrs. O. B. Taylor was hostess to the Ladies' Bridge Club at her home Tuesday afternoon of this week. Mrs. J. M. Finger won high score and Mrs. Ed. Cameron won second prize. The hostess served refreshments of ham sandwiches, candy and coffee to the following: Mesdames L. J. Brucks, Ed Cameron, Fletcher Davis, J. M. Finger, L. E. Heath, Robert Kollman, and F. H. Schweers.

Poultry pays, reports Harlien Schlabach, a member of the Woodsboro 4-H club in Refugio county, and backs it up with a good record. In February he bought 50 one-day-old barred rock and Rhode Island red chicks for \$4.50. He hatched 30 chicks which cost him \$1.80. He fed 775 pounds of mash that cost him \$26.73, and spent 50 cents for disinfectant, making a total expense of \$33.50. He sold 67 fryers which brought him \$50.95, or a net profit of \$17.42.

Good care of her berry patch brought results from Ruth Lynner of the Hearte 4-H club in Wharton county. From 47 young berry plants, which lived out of 50 which she bought for \$1.00 and set out in February of 1936, Ruth harvested 43 gallons of berries. As soon as the vines quit bearing this summer, she cut the plants down to the ground. "Berries bear on one year old wood, so the new shoots that are coming up will yield my 1938 crop," Ruth told members of her club. The vines were trained to run on a trellis.

Judge H. E. Haas, U. S. weather observer, tells us that a total of 2.19 inches of rain fell in Hondo this week, the greatest precipitation of 1.40 inches falling during Wednesday night and early Thursday morning. From various reports, we learn that the rainfall was general over the County, and that Hondo Creek is on a rise a few miles north of Hondo. Stockmen report water in their tanks and the pastures well soaked by the slow rains. Prospects for the farmer and the rancher are now very much brighter in the winter months.

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# Christmas Greetings from your Dependable and Ever-Ready Dry Goods Store:

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from our New York buyer which are true copies of new Paris styles—no two dresses alike. They have that distinguished appearance that no home-made dress ever has. Yes, ladies, you can take my word for it, you won't have to apologize when you wear one of these dresses. . . Priced especially for Xmas

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## WOMEN'S LOUNGING ROBES

Very beautiful and serviceable. Prices

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## MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

made from eighty-square boilfast shirting. Beautiful stripes and fancy patterns, with no-wit collars, one-button hem-cuffs. These shirts were made to sell for one dollar and a half each—but we are going to sell them for Xmas presents . . . so the price

\$1<sup>00</sup>

## MEN'S AND BOYS' NECK-TIES IN XMAS BOXES

25c and 49c

## JUST RECEIVED:

### SHIPMENT OF MEN'S NEW STYLE HATS

. . . very spiffy . . . with feather or without. These are the famous "BEAVER BRAND" HATS and when you wear a Beaver brand hat you can go places with the knowledge that you are wearing the latest thing in felt hats. \$2 to \$7 Prices



## ROLLINS HOSIERY

has never been equalled for a fine silk hose—and Oh—what nice gifts they make. We will wrap them in a beautiful gift box for you, and you can purchase them 79c to \$1.49 for

## ZIPPER JACKETS FOR THE MENFOLKS

We have them in corduroy and Dupont leather, and you have to wear one to just know how warm they are. PRICES

2<sup>69</sup> to 3<sup>45</sup>

## SWEATERS

### Sweaters

We have just received this morning the sample line of Men's, Women's and Children's FINE SWEATERS from the Rice Stix Mfg. Co. of St. Louis, Mo. We bought these sweaters at one-third discount from the regular factory price, and now we are going to put it on to YOU. There are over nine hundred of these sweaters and we have marked them with that Xmas spirit—yes, we have marked them 98c to \$7.95 cheap

1<sup>25</sup> to \$3<sup>98</sup>

PANTIES 25c to 69c

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## OVERNITE BAGS for Sister, DRESSED and UNDRESSED BAGS

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HONDO MEDINA COUNTY TEXAS

### NEW AUTO REGISTRATIONS.

Dec. 12, C. M. Merritt, Hondo, 1938 Plymouth.

Dec. 12, W. S. Smith, Sabin, 1938 Pontiac.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Claude W. Gilliam et al. to Allen H. Tillotson, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to 19 acres of land, being all of Lot 8 of Survey No. 184, John Wolfart except 1 acre. Consideration \$800.00.

Andrew Muenck and wife to Walter Saathoff, warranty deed to 5 acres of land out of original Survey No. 48, Fritz Stiegler. Consideration \$70.00.

W. A. Hardt and wife to Anton J. Hardt, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to 160 acres, being south one-half of 320 acres Survey No. 795, John Doeger. \$10.00 and other valuable consideration.

G. M. Harrison and wife to Mrs. Lena Balmes, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 9 and 12 in Old Block No. 18, New Block No. 49 of J. M. Bright Addition to town of Devine. Consideration \$650.00.

W. T. McClaugherty and wife to Mrs. Ora Horger, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 5, 6 and 7 in Block No. 27 in town of Hondo. \$10.00 and other consideration.

Enola Taylor and husband and Alex Grant to Agapito Nira, warranty deed to Lot No. 9 in Block No. 5 in the Mayer addition to town of Hondo. Consideration \$50.00.

Joe Angel Morales to Santiago Reyes, warranty deed to Lot No. 26 in Block No. 149 of Natalia townsite. Consideration \$80.00.

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### ANVIL SPARKS.

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overnment. If it is levied indirectly, it becomes part of the price of what the consumer buys. No matter how you state it; no matter how many ifs, ands buts you add; no matter how you storm and rant about it, the facts are still the same—government debts are paid by taxes, and taxes are paid by the sweat of every man's brow.—Selected.

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farmers were marketing crops and distress cotton, wheat and corn was dumped on the markets at prices below cost of production, robbing farmers not of millions but billions. Those who reaped the harvest of contracted credit generously lent farmers and dependent business millions and billions—encouraged them to borrow—and when the money powers believed the farmer had sufficiently pulled out to stand another squeeze, they again withdrew credit, crashed the stock market, ended the orgy of speculation in stocks and initiated the depression."

Isn't it refreshing to read that conclusion from a writer other than the editor of FARMING!

But, alas, there is a fly in the ointment!

Never a my-king-can-do-no-wrong hero worshipper of his sovereign was more ready to accept as without flaw anything his hero proposed than seems our contemporary to fall down and worship at the clay feet of his own idol—Roosevelt.

Who was it in March 1933 promised the people to break the strangle hold of "the few who controlled the credit of the United States" by forcing an emergency issuance of Federal Reserve currency for relief of the money stringency—and gold-bricked the people by not making his promise good?

Who has had the authority in his own hands—placed there by a servile congress too cowardly to perform its own duty—to break this money monopoly by issuing sufficient government credit currency to meet the country's needs without borrowing from these same "greedy few", and who has so far refused to exercise that authority for the last four years?

Roosevelt!

Who, while failing or refusing to do these things has caused to be borrowed from these same "greedy few" hitherto unheard of sums of money, thereby selling ourselves, our children and our children's children into economic bondage to the bond-holders?

Roosevelt!

Who as the dominant head of a party traditionally opposed to "protective tariffs and laws that inure to the benefit" of one class at the expense of another class has not attempted to remove these gross inequalities though it has been within his power for five long years?

Roosevelt!

Who, instead of these things doing, has frittered away precious time and much money on which the people must pay interest in such innovations and experiments as burying the people's gold in a hole in the Kentucky mountains while borrowing credit money from bond salesmen to make cotton loans to farmers to sustain the price of their cotton, only to see the price continue to fall despite the much lauded loans?

Thoughtful people for some time have sensed a changing psychology of the mass mind. It takes Walter Lippmann, the columnist, to accurately describe that alarming process. He does it in the following words:

"Compared with what we ourselves were like twenty-five years ago we are already to a considerable degree barbarized. Our older selves would think rather poorly of us, I imagine, if they saw us now. We have learned to accept, to treat as more or less

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